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PARIS, FEB. 26 (AP)-THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE SAID TODAY IT HAS OFFERED WEST GERMANY MILITARY BASES IN FRANCE, THUS TAKING THE WEST GERMANS OFF THE HOOK IN A SEARCH FOR BASES THAT HAS EXTENDED TO FASCIST SPAIN.

A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE FRENCH RECOGNIZE THE NEEDS OF WEST GERMANY'S GROWING ARMY. HE REFUSED TO COMMENT ON REPORTS THAT THE WEST GERMANS HAVE BEEN NEGOTIATING FOR BASES WITH SPAIN. THIS HAS REVIVED MEMORIES OF NAZI TIES WITH SPAIN DURING WORLD WAR II AND CREATED A POLITICAL STORM WITHIN THE NORTH ATLANTIC ALLIANCE, ESPECIALLY IN BRITAIN.

THE FRENCH SPOKESMAN, HOWEVER, IMPLIED UNDER QUESTIONING THAT FRANCE DOES NOT FEEL WEST GERMANY SHOULD NECESSARILY LIMIT ITS SEARCH FOR BASES TO NATO COUNTRIES. SPAIN IS NOT A NATO MEMBER.

HE ADDED THAT FRANCE RECOGNIZES WEST GERMANY DOES NOT HAVE ENOUGH ROOM ON ITS OWN TERRITORY FOR NECESSARY STORAGE DEPOTS AND TRAINING BASES. WEST GERMANY IS ALREADY CROWDED WITH ALLIED MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, NOTABLY AMERICAN.

SEVERAL MONTHS AGO HE CONTINUED, "CERTAIN ARRANGEMENTS" WERE MADE FOR WEST GERMAN SUPPLY DEPOTS ON FRENCH SOIL. DISCUSSIONS WERE ALSO HELD REGARDING AN AIRPORT.

IT WAS UNDERSTOOD FROM OTHER SOURCES THAT FRANCE OFFERED WEST GERMANY AN AIRPORT FOR TRAINING PURPOSES IN NORTHERN FRANCE. WEST GERMANY IS REPORTED TO HAVE ASKED INSTEAD FOR A BASE IN SOUTHERN FRANCE WHERE WEATHER CONDITIONS ARE MORE FAVORABLE.

SINCE THE SPANISH BASE ISSUE BECAME PUBLIC, FRANCE HAS TAKEN A MUCH MORE RESERVED ATTITUDE THAN BRITAIN AND ELSEWHERE. THE REASON APPARENTLY IS BASED IN PRESIDENT CHARLES DE GAULLE'S GESTURES OF FRIENDSHIP TO BOTH BONN AND MADRID SINCE HE CAME TO POWER.

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WASHINGTON, FEB. 26 (AP)-THE UNITED STATES HAS CALLED ON WEST GERMANY TO DELAY ANY DECISION ON WHETHER TO SEEK MILITARY SUPPORT BASES IN EUROPE, PENDING FULL DISCUSSIONS AMONG THE ATLANTIC PACT ALLIES.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT MADE KNOWN THE GOVERNMENT'S VIEW TODAY. A DEPARTMENT STATEMENT MADE CLEAR THAT SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER NEVER GAVE THE GERMANS A GO-AHEAD TO SEEK SUCH BASES IN SPAIN.

THE DEPARTMENT, COMMENTING ON A GERMAN NEWS AGENCY REPORT, SAID ONLY THAT THE SUBJECT WAS MENTIONED TO HERTER WHEN HE WAS IN PARIS IN DECEMBER.

THE GERMAN NEWS REPORT SAID HERTER APPROVED THE PLAN AT THAT TIME WHILE TALKING WITH THE WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER, HEINRICH VON BRENTANO.

"THE PROBLEM AND POSSIBLE MEANS OF OVERCOMING IT WERE AT THAT TIME AND STILL CONTINUE TO BE ONLY IN THE EARLIEST AND MOST TENTATIVE STAGES OF CONSIDERATION," THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID.

"WE HAVE SUGGESTED TO THE GERMAN GOVERNMENT THAT BEFORE ANY DECISIONS ARE TAKEN THAT THE MATTER BE FULLY EXPLORED WITHIN THE APPROPRIATE NATO FRAMEWORK."

STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS SAID THE U.S. SUGGESTION WAS MADE THROUGH DIPLOMATIC CHANNELS WITHIN A FEW DAYS AFTER DISCLOSURE THAT GERMANY WAS DISCUSSING THE MATTER WITH SPAIN. THAT DISCLOSURE LED TO PROTESTS FROM THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT.

THE WEST GERMANS ARE REPORTED SEEKING MILITARY SUPPORT FACILITIES IN SPAIN AND FRANCE IN ORDER TO BACK UP THEIR ATLANTIC PACT ASSIGNMENT IN DEFENDING GERMANY AND THE WEST AGAINST POSSIBLE SOVIET ATTACK.

THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE DISCLOSED IN PARIS TODAY THAT IT HAD OFFERED GERMANY BASES IN FRANCE.

A FOREIGN OFFICE SPOKESMAN TOLD A NEWS CONFERENCE THE FRENCH RECOGNIZE THE NEEDS OF WEST GERMANY'S GROWING ARMY. HE IMPLIED UNDER QUESTIONING THAT FRANCE DOES NOT FEEL WEST GERMANY SHOULD NECESSARILY LIMIT ITS SEARCH FOR BASES TO NATO COUNTRIES. SPAIN IS NOT A NATO MEMBER.

HE ADDED THAT FRANCE RECOGNIZES WEST GERMANY DOES NOT HAVE ENOUGH ROOM ON ITS OWN TERRITORY FOR NECESSARY STORAGE DEPOTS AND TRAINING BASES. WEST GERMANY IS ALREADY CROWDED WITH ALLIED MILITARY INSTALLATIONS, NOTABLY AMERICAN.

THE PRINCIPAL OPPOSITION TO THE IDEA OF GERMAN BASES IN SPAIN HAS COME FROM BRITAIN. IT APPARENTLY STEMS FROM MEMORIES OF NAZI GERMANY'S TIES WITH SPAIN DURING WORLD WAR II.

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PARIS, FEB. 26 (AP)-A U.S. AIR FORCE MAJOR GENERAL CHARGED TODAY THAT AMERICANS WHO LIVE ABROAD FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS "ARE NOT GOOD CITIZENS OF THE U.S. AND SHOULD TURN IN THEIR PASSPORTS." THE OPINION WAS EXPRESSED BY MAJ. GEN. WT. HEFLEY, COMMANDER OF THE AIR FORCE AIR MATERIEL COMMAND IN THE EUROPEAN AREA, IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE "AMERICAN WEEKEND." IT IS A WEEKLY ENGLISH LANGUAGE PUBLICATION AIMED MAINLY AT AMERICAN MILITARY FAMILIES IN EUROPE.

HEFLEY, WHO IS STATIONED AT CHATEAUROUX, FRANCE, SAID THAT AMERICANS WHO STAY ABROAD FOR LONG PERIODS LOSE THEIR USEFULNESS AS AMERICAN CITIZENS.

"MOST OF THE PEOPLE WHO DON'T WANT TO GO BACK HOME DON'T HAVE THE SLIGHTEST INTEREST IN THE U.S. EXCEPT FOR THE HIGH AMERICAN PAY THEY RECEIVE," HE SAID, SPEAKING PARTICULARLY OF AMERICAN CIVILIAN GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES OVERSEAS. *AMERICAN CIVILIAN GOVT EMPLOYEE OVERSEAS*

THE GENERAL'S REMARKS DREW IMMEDIATE FIRE FROM ONE CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE OF THE ARMY SAID OF HEFLEY: "HE MAY BE A MAJOR GENERAL BUT I'LL MATCH MY AMERICANISM, WORK PERFORMANCE AND ANYTHING ELSE, INCLUDING MY UNDERSTANDING OF HUMAN NATURE, WITH HIM ANY DAY IN THE WEEK."

HEFLEY MADE HIS REMARKS IN A DISCUSSION OF THE POLICY HE HAS INSTITUTED FOR HIS AMERICAN CIVIL SERVICE EMPLOYEES. HE SAID HE MAKES A STRONG EFFORT TO LIMIT A CIVILIAN'S TOUR OF DUTY OVERSEAS TO FOUR YEARS. HE SAID AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS IN EUROPE GENERALLY RECOMMENDS THE FOUR-YEAR LIMITATION, WHICH IS IN FORCE FOR MILITARY PERSONNEL.

HEFLEY SAID HE HAD 541 AMERICAN CIVILIANS WORKING IN HIS COMMAND.

THE GENERAL IS A NATIVE OF TEXAS AND LIVED AT ONE TIME IN CAMERON. ON AUG. 1 HE WOULD HAVE BEEN OVERSEAS FOUR YEARS, BUT HE PLANS TO LEAVE JULY 15.

AT WASHINGTON, THE AIR FORCE SAID HEFLEY IS SCHEDULED TO BECOME CHIEF OF THE AIR MATERIEL COMMAND FOR THE AREA OF WARNER-ROBINS AIR FORCE BASE, GA., EFFECTIVE AUG. 15.

THE REASSIGNMENT ORDER WAS DATED FEB. 19--BEFORE PUBLICATION OF THE ARTICLE ON HIS REPORTED VIEWS ABOUT AMERICANS ABROAD.

AT WARNER-ROBINS HE WILL SUCCEED MAJ. GEN. A.B.P. ANDERSON, WHO IS RETIRING.

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WIESBADEN, GERMANY, FEB. 26 (AP)-THE U.S. AIR FORCE IN EUROPE SAID TODAY IT HAS FULL CONFIDENCE IN THE LOYALTY OF ITS AMERICAN CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES.

COMMENTING ON A STATEMENT BY AIR FORCE MAJ. GEN. W.T. HEFLEY THAT AMERICANS WHO LIVE ABROAD FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS "ARE NOT GOOD CITIZENS OF THE U.S." THE AIR FORCE SAID:

"THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE IN EUROPE HAS FULL CONFIDENCE IN THE LOYALTY OF ITS U.S. CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES, REGARDLESS OF THE LENGTH OF TIME THEY HAVE SERVED WITHIN THIS COMMAND."

AN AIR FORCE SPOKESMAN, IN RELEASING THIS COMMENT, SAID THE AIR FORCE HAS NO PLANS TO LIMIT THE TIME OF EMPLOYMENT OF AMERICAN CIVILIANS OVERSEAS. INFORMED SOURCES SAID AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS HERE, WHICH EMPLOYS A CONSIDERABLE NUMBER OF U.S. CIVILIANS, WAS NOT PLEASED WITH GEN. HEFLEY'S REMARKS.

THE U.S. ARMY'S EUROPEAN HEADQUARTERS IN HEIDELBERG ISSUED A STATEMENT SAYING:

"THE U.S. ARMY IN EUROPE HAS COMPLETE CONFIDENCE IN THE LOYALTY OF ITS U.S. CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES, REGARDLESS OF THE LENGTH OF TIME THEY HAVE WORKED IN THIS COMMAND. LENGTH OF SERVICE, WHETHER OVERSEAS OR IN THE UNITED STATES, IS NOT CONSIDERED BY THIS COMMAND A PRIMARY INDICATOR EITHER OF LOYALTY OR PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCE."

"THE ARMY OVERSEAS INTERCHANGE PROGRAM AND MORE RECENTLY, THE ARMY-WIDE CIVILIAN CAREER SYSTEM, HAVE PROVIDED ROTATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR OVERSEAS EMPLOYEES AND AN INCREASING NUMBER OF ARMY-TRAINED AND EXPERIENCED CAREER EMPLOYEES TO FILL OVERSEAS POSITION."

"THE PERFORMANCE OF ALL EMPLOYEES IS UNDER CONTINUOUS APPRAISAL AS A MEANS OF MAINTAINING A HIGH QUALITY OF PERFORMANCE AND PLANNING FOR INDIVIDUAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT. THIS COMMAND HAS NO PLAN AT PRESENT UNDER WHICH LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT WOULD BE ARBITRARILY LIMITED."

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WASHINGTON, FEB. 26 (AP)-SOME 315 SCIENTISTS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE FLED COMMUNIST-RUN EAST GERMANY, DURING 1959 TO WORK IN WEST GERMANY. AUTHORITIES WHO REPORTED THIS TODAY SAID THE NUMBER IS ASTONISHINGLY HIGH IN VIEW OF THE COMMUNIST DRIVE TO STOP SUCH FLIGHTS.

THE SCIENTISTS ARE REPORTED TO HAVE WORKED AT EIGHT SOVIET ZONE UNIVERSITIES. THE NUMBER INVOLVED IN THE DEFLECTIONS, WHEN POPULATIONS ARE COMPARED, WOULD BE THE EQUIVALENT OF THE FLIGHT OF 3,000 SCIENTISTS FROM THE UNITED STATES.

ADDITIONAL SCIENTISTS WORRIED AT COMMUNIST EFFORTS TO ENLIST THEIR BRAINPOWER INTO THE RED CAUSE ARE REPORTED TO BE AMONG THE NEARLY 400 WHO DAILY FLEE TO THE WEST.

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KHRUSHCHEV

BY JOHN RODERICK

JAKARTA, INDONESIA, FEB. 26 (AP)-SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV TOLD INDONESIA'S PARLIAMENT TODAY THAT ASIA AND AFRICA SHOULD BE REPRESENTED AT THE SUMMIT. BUT, HE ADDED, "MAYBE THE TIME IS NOT YET RIPE."

THE TOURING SOVIET LEADER BITTERLY CRITICIZED JAPAN, SUPPORTED INDONESIA'S CLAIMS TO DUTCH WEST NEW GUINEA, LAMBASTED THE SOUTHEAST ASIA TREATY ORGANIZATION, DENOUNCED COLONIALISM AND PREACHED COEXISTENCE AND WORLD DISARMAMENT.

HIS 46-MINUTE SPEECH, READ BY AN INTERPRETER AFTER KHRUSHCHEV SPOKE THE OPENING PARAGRAPHS, WAS RECEIVED MOSTLY IN SILENCE BY AN AUDIENCE OF 300, INCLUDING FOREIGN DIPLOMATS.

PRESIDENT SUKARNO, KHRUSHCHEV'S HOST AND GUIDE DURING HIS 12-DAY TOUR, WAS NOT PRESENT.

KHRUSHCHEV DECLARED SUKARNO'S BID FOR REPRESENTATION AT THE SUMMIT "IS THE ONLY ONE WHICH IS RIGHT." HE SAID OTHER SUMMIT MEMBERS HAD TURNED DOWN A RUSSIAN PROPOSAL TO INCLUDE NEUTRAL NATIONS LIKE INDIA, AND "MAYBE THE TIME IS NOT YET RIPE TO ARRANGE A MORE REPRESENTATIVE SUMMIT CONFERENCE."

BUT THE BIG FOUR MEETING IN PARIS IN MAY WILL LEAD TO WIDER TALKS WHERE AFRICAN-ASIAN NATIONS WILL HAVE THEIR SAY, HE SAID. KHRUSHCHEV'S MAIN THEME WAS PEACE AND DISARMAMENT. HE SAID ECONOMICALLY BACKWARD COUNTRIES WOULD BENEFIT IF THE ARMS RACE WERE HALTED AND THE MONEY DIVERTED TO AID.

"THE PEOPLES OF THE WORLD REFUSE TO LIVE ANY LONGER IN THE SPHERE OF TENSION. . . WHICH THREATENS CALAMITY," HE SAID. HE RECOMMENDED GENERAL AND COMPLETE DISARMAMENT AND "EXTENSIVE CONTROL OF IT."

WEARING A CONSERVATIVE GREY SUIT AND FANCY SILK UKRANIAN SHIRT, KHRUSHCHEV SPOKE FROM A ROSTRUM BELOW INDONESIA'S GARUDA SYMBOL--A FIERCE-LOOKING EAGLE-LIKE BIRD.

JAPAN'S SIGNING OF A NEW JOINT-U.S. SECURITY AGREEMENT THREATENS WORLD PEACE, HE DECLARED, ADDING A PROVERB: "IF YOU SOW WIND, SURELY YOU WILL YIELD A STORM."

BY PERMITTING FOREIGN (U.S.) MILITARY BASES ON ITS SOIL, HE ASKED IF JAPAN INTENDED TO CARRY OUT ITS PLAN OF THE 1920S FOR THE CONQUEST OF ASIA.

KHRUSHCHEV CALLED THE EIGHT-NATION SEATO ALLIANCE A DANGEROUS KIND OF COLLECTIVE COLONIALISM AND ACCUSED IT OF "PROVOCATIONS AND CONSPIRACIES AGAINST INDONESIA, IN CAMBODIA AND LAOS."

APPLAUSE BROKE OUT ONLY ONCE--WHEN KHRUSHCHEV SAID RUSSIA SUPPORTS INDONESIA IN HER STRUGGLE TO GET POSSESSION OF WEST IRIAN (WEST NEW GUINEA) FROM THE NETHERLANDS.

KHRUSHCHEV DECLARED THE SOVIET UNION AT THIS SUMMIT WILL "EXERT ALL MEANS AND EFFORTS SO THIS MEETING WILL BE USEFUL TO ALL COUNTRIES IN THE WORLD AND NOT ONLY FOR... THE STATES ATTENDING IT."

THE RUSSIAN VISITOR FLEW HERE FROM BALI, WHERE HIS THREE-DAY STAY ENDED WITH A GALA DANCING PARTY WHILE KHRUSHCHEV SLEPT. SUKARNO, SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO AND OTHER RUSSIANS DANCED INTO THE NIGHT WITH BALINESE MAIDS TO THROBBING DRUMS, GONGS AND CHANTS.

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BONN, GERMANY, FEB. 26 (AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER HEINRICH VON

BRENTANO SAID TODAY HE THINKS HIS VISIT TO INDIA WENT OVER BETTER THAN THAT OF SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV. 5-20
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THE WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTER ARRIVED IN NEW DELHI LAST WEEK AFTER KHRUSHCHEV AND THE DEPUTY PREMIER OF COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, HEINRICH RAU, HAD BEEN HERE.

"I THINK I CAN SAY I WENT OVER BETTER THAN THEY DID," VON BRENTANO TOLD REPORTERS.

HE EXPRESSED SATISFACTION WITH HIS TWO-WEEK TOUR OF PAKISTAN AND INDIA, SAYING THAT COOPERATION, PARTICULARLY ECONOMICALLY WITH THOSE COUNTRIES WILL BE STRENGTHENED. HE SAID NEGOTIATIONS ON ECONOMIC

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COOPERATION WITH PAKISTAN WILL BEGIN SOON. HE SAID IT IS IMPORTANT THAT WEST GERMANY PARTICIPATE ALSO IN INDIA'S THIRD FIVE-YEAR PLAN AT LEAST AS EXTENSIVELY AS IN THE CURRENT PLAN.

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MOSCOW, FEB. 26 (AP)-THE FIRST GROUP OF SERVICEMENT MUSTERED OUT OF REDUCTION PLAN HAVE ARRIVED IN KAZAKHSTAN, WHERE PLENTY OF JOBS AWAITS THEM, TASS REPORTED TODAY.

THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY, IN A DISPATCH FROM ALMA ATA, SAID MOST OF THE MEN WILL WORK MAINLY AS TRACTOR DRIVERS, COMBINE OPERATORS AND TRUCK DRIVERS ON STATE FARMS IN THE VIRGIN LANDS.

THESE AREAS, OPENED UP SEVERAL YEARS AGO UNDER KHRUSHCHEV'S ORDERS, HAVE BEEN SORELY IN NEED OF MANPOWER. THE COMMUNIST PARTY LEADER OF KAZAKHSTAN WAS DISMISSED LAST YEAR AFTER TONS OF WHEAT WENT UNHARVESTED FOR LACK OF WORKERS.

LAST MONTH KHRUSHCHEV ANNOUNCED PLANS TO CUT THE STRENGTH OF THE SOVIET ARMED FORCES BY ONE-THIRD, RELEASING ABOUT 1,200,000 MEN FOR CIVILIAN OCCUPATIONS.

THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY REPORTED THE FIRST DISCHARGED AIRMEN HAVE BEEN HIRED BY THE KAZAKH CIVIL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION. THEY WILL GIVEN QUALIFICATION COURSES AND BE PUT TO WORK ON PASSENGER, CARGO AND AGRICULTURAL AIRCRAFT.

SPECIAL CASH INCENTIVES ARE BEING OFFERED DISCHARGED SERVICEMEN WHO HEAD FOR THE PIONEER AREAS OF THE SOVIET UNION. THEY GET BONUSES AND TRAVEL PAY AND ARE ELIGIBLE FOR HOUSING LOANS AND SUBSIDIZED EDUCATION.

"ALL NINE ECONOMIC AREAS OF KAZAKHSTAN ARE PREPARING TO WELCOME FORMER SOLDIERS AND OFFICERS AND TO GIVE THEM JOBS AT ENTERPRISES AND CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS," TASS SAID. "THEY NEED ENGINEERS, TECHNICIANS, TURNERS, WELDERS, FITTERS, FOUNDRY WORKERS, LEATHER WORKERS AND WORKERS OF OTHER TRADES."

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BY A. I. GOLDBERG

MOSCOW, FEB. 26 (AP)-GEORGE CHRISTOPHER, SAN FRANCISCO'S FAST-MOVING MAYOR, CALLED ON HIS OPPOSITE NUMBER IN MOSCOW TODAY AND WAS TOLD THIS CITY OF MORE THAN FIVE MILLION PEOPLE HAS NO CRIME PROBLEM.

A VISIT TO NIKOLAI BOBROVNIKOV, PRESIDENT OF THE CITY OF MOSCOW--THE TITLE CORRESPONDS TO MAYOR--FOLLOWED A TWO-HOUR SESSION WITH OFFICIALS OF THE SOVIET UNION'S COMMITTEE ON CULTURAL RELATIONS WITH FOREIGN COUNTRIES.

THERE CHRISTOPHER PROPOSED A FIVE-POINT PROGRAM OF EXPANDED CULTURAL RELATIONS BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND SAN FRANCISCO. HE TOLD NEWSMEN LATER HE INTENDS THE PROGRAM TO COME ENTIRELY UNDER THE U.S.-SOVIET CULTURAL EXCHANGE AGREEMENT BUT SAID IT WOULD ALSO SUPPLEMENT THAT INTER-GOVERNMENTAL PACT.

CHRISTOPHER WAS TOLD BY THE MAYOR OF MOSCOW THAT THE SOVIET CAPITAL HAS A POLICE FORCE OF 100,000 TO HANDLE THE CITY'S TRAFFIC AND IS TRYING TO CUT DOWN THAT NUMBER BY USING MORE TRAFFIC LIGHTS.

CHRISTOPHER ASKED BOBROVNIKOV ABOUT JUVENILE DELINQUENCY AND THE PROBLEM OF CRIME. BOBROVNIKOV ANSWERED IT WAS SO RARE HERE THAT OFFICIALS DON'T BOTHER TO KEEP STATISTICS.

CHRISTOPHER PRESSED HIS QUESTION, "HOW MANY MURDERS A YEAR--

FIFTY, SEVENTY-FIVE?" HE ASKED.

THE MOSCOW MAYOR ANSWERED THAT THERE MAY BE SIX OR SEVEN, AND THESE ARISE FROM AN OCCASIONAL DRUNKEN BRAWL.

AT A MEETING WITH SERGEI ROMANOVSKY, ACTING CHIEF OF THE CULTURAL COMMITTEE, CHRISTOPHER SUGGESTED A DIRECT EXCHANGE OF STUDENTS WHO WOULD LIVE WITH FAMILIES IN THEIR HOST CITIES.

HE ALSO SUGGESTED LOAN EXHIBITS OF SOME SOVIET-OWNED ART MASTER-PIECES AND URGED THE RUSSIANS TO SEND AN ENTRY TO THE SAN FRANCISCO FILM FESTIVAL. HE ALSO INVITED THEM TO PUT ONE OF THEIR OWN MEN ON THE JURY OF FILM JUDGES.

CHRISTOPHER ALSO EXPRESSED A DESIRE TO SEE MUNICIPAL OPERATIONS HERE AND IN FOUR OTHER CITIES DURING HIS TOUR, WHICH GREW OUT OF A PERSONAL INVITATION ISSUED BY SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV DURING HIS VISIT TO SAN FRANCISCO LAST FALL.

CHRISTOPHER ALSO SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE A SPUTNIK LAUNCHING AND INSISTED HE WASN'T JOOKING. SOVIET OFFICIALS CHANGED THE SUBJECT.

THE MAYOR PRESENTED HIS MOSCOW COUNTERPART WITH A FLAG OF SAN FRANCISCO AND AN ENGRAVED DECLARATION FROM THE CITY. HE PLANS TO MAKE SIMILAR PRESENTATIONS ALONG THE WAY.

HE ALSO BROUGHT ALONG WINE, CHAMPAGNE AND VODKA FROM CALIFORNIA AND HAS OFFERED TO STAGE TASTE TESTS WITH SOVIET ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES. ROMANOVSKY REMARKED HE CERTAINLY WANTED TO BE IN ON THAT.

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GENEVA, FEB. 26 (AP)-THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT FORMALLY ANNOUNCED TODAY IT IS PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE IN A JOINT RESEARCH PROGRAM WITH THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN TO IMPROVE TECHNIQUES FOR DETECTING UNDER-GROUND NUCLEAR TESTS.

THE DIFFICULTY OF DISTINGUISHING BETWEEN NUCLEAR BLASTS AND NATURAL EARTHQUAKES IS ONE OF THE MAIN OBSTACLES AT THE 16-MONTH-OLD NUCLEAR TEST BAN TALKS HERE.

SOVIET DELEGATE SEMYON K. TSARAPKIN TOLD THE THREE-NATION TALKS TODAY THAT RUSSIA WOULD PARTICIPATE IN A JOINT RESEARCH PROGRAM TO IMPROVE DETECTION TECHNIQUES--BUT ONLY AFTER A TREATY TO OUTLAW NUCLEAR TESTS IS SIGNED.

"I HAVE SAID THIS BEFORE AS MY PERSONAL OPINION ONLY," TSARAPKIN SAID. "BUT I AM NOW AUTHORIZED TO STATE OFFICIALLY THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT AGREES TO HAVE A JOINT RESEARCH PROGRAM STARTED AS SOON AS THE TREATY IS SIGNED, WITHOUT WAITING FOR ITS RATIFICATION."

TSARAPKIN STRESSED, HOWEVER, THAT ONLY CONVENTIONAL EXPLOSIVES LIKE TNT, AND NO NUCLEAR CHARGES, SHOULD BE USED UNDER THE JOINT RESEARCH PROGRAM. THE WESTERN POWERS WANT TO USE NUCLEAR DEVICES IN SUCH A PROGRAM.

DURING A TWO-HOUR MEETING OF THE NUCLEAR TEST BAN CONFERENCE, THE SOVIET DELEGATE REITERATED RUSSIA'S INSISTENCE THAT AN ANNUAL QUOTA OF INSPECTIONS OF SUSPICIOUS EVENTS BE FIXED WITHOUT ANY RELATION TO THE NUMBER OF SUCH EVENTS OCCURRING IN A YEAR. HE STILL REFUSED TO GIVE ANY INDICATION AS TO THE NUMBER OF INSPECTIONS RUSSIA WOULD PERMIT UNDER THIS PROPOSAL, UNTIL THE WEST ACCEPTS IT "IN PRINCIPLE."

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(ADVANCE FOR 1 P.M. EST TODAY) (200)

(ADVANCE) CHICAGO, FEB. 26 (AP)-DAN R. KIMBALL, FORMER SECRETARY OF THE NAVY, TODAY URGED INCREASED EXPENDITURES FOR THE NATION'S MISSILE PROGRAM LEST THE UNITED STATES BECOME "A SECOND CLASS NATION FOR A CENTURY OR TWO."

KIMBALL, NOW PRESIDENT OF AEROJET-GENERAL CORP., MANUFACTURERS OF THE ROCKET ENGINES FOR THE AIR FORCE'S TITAN ICBM, SAID THE U. S. COULD NOT PUT TOO MUCH FAITH IN THE CONTINUING RETALIATORY POWER OF THE STRATEGIC AIR COMMAND.

"WE'VE GOT TO REALIZE THAT AIRCRAFT ARE BEING PHASED OUT AS A PRIMARY RETALIATORY WEAPONS IN TOTAL WAR," KIMBALL SAID AT A LUNCHEON MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVES CLUB. "THEY WILL BE USEFUL IN THE FUTURE ONLY IN LIMITED CONFLICTS."

"IF THE ANTI-MISSILE-MISSILE IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER, WE CAN ASSUME THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT MISSILE--AIR-LAUNCHED OR OTHERWISE--IS VERY EFFECTIVE TODAY. WE HAVE NO REASON TO SUPPOSE THE RUSSIANS ARE BEHIND US IN DEFENSIVE WEAPONS ANY MORE THAN IN MISSILES."

KIMBALL SAID THE OPERATIONAL ATLAS AND THOR MISSILES, THE NEARLY OPERATIONAL TITAN AND POLARIS MISSILES, AND THE SOLID FUEL MINUTE-MAN MISSILE "WILL PROBABLY BE OUR BASIC WEAPONS FOR 10 YEARS OR MORE SO WE'VE GOT TO GIVE THEM ALL THE PRIORITY WE CAN."

"WE'VE GOT TO WORK A LOT HARDER AND WE'VE GOT TO SPEND MORE MONEY TO BE SAFELY IN FIRST PLACE" IN THE MISSILE RACE WITH RUSSIA, HE SAID.

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LOS ANGELES, FEB. 26 (AP)-NATIONALIST CHINA'S TOP NAVY OFFICER PREDICTED TONIGHT THAT COMMUNIST CHINA WILL STAGE AN ALL-OUT ATTACK ON FORMOSA "AT ANY TIME." *AISILA*

"THEY (THE REDS) ARE BUILDING UP THEIR STRENGTH ALL THE TIME BUT I BELIEVE WE ARE EQUIPPED TO REPEL ANY KIND OF COMMUNIST INVASION," ADM. YUE-SI NO, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF NATIONALIST CHINA'S NAVY, TOLD NEWSPMEN.

ADMIRAL NO, TOURING U.S. NAVY BASES WITH OTHER CHINESE NAVAL OFFICERS, SAID THE 100 FIGHTING SHIPS IN HIS FLEET ARE IN ALMOST CONSTANT CONTACT WITH CRAFT FROM THE MAINLAND.

"WE FIGHT THEM EVERY DAY AND NIGHT," HE ADDED.

COMMUNIST SHORE BATTERY BOMBARDMENT OF NATIONALIST ISLANDS AND CLASHES BETWEEN SMALL NAVAL UNITS ARE FREQUENT OCCURRENCES, THE ADMIRAL CONTINUED.

"THEY ARE CHEATING," HE SAID. "THEY USED TO FIRE ONLY ON ODD-NUMBERED DAYS. NOW THEY SHOOT ON EVEN-NUMBERED DAYS, TOO."

ADMIRAL NO SAID HE HOPES THE U.S. GOVERNMENT WILL GRANT HIS REQUEST FOR MORE SHIPS.

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MOSCOW, FEB. 26 (AP)-INSTALLATION OF AMERICAN MISSILES IN SOUTH KOREA "CONSTITUTES A DIRECT THREAT TO PEACE IN THE FAR EAST," THE SOVIET NEWS AGENCY TASS CHARGED TODAY.

"SOUTH KOREA IS INCREASINGLY BECOMING A BASE FOR AMERICAN NUCLEAR AND ROCKET WEAPONS WITH ALL THE RESULTING CONSEQUENCES," SAID TASS COMMENTATOR VASILY KHARKOV.

TASS CHARGED THE NEW WEAPONS ARE DEEPENING THE DIVISION BETWEEN NORTH AND SOUTH KOREA AND BUILDING TENSION ON THE PENINSULA.

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A REPORT FROM WASHINGTON LAST MONTH SAID NIKE HERCULES ANTIAIRCRAFT MISSILES CAPABLE OF CARRYING NUCLEAR WARHEADS WERE DESTINED FOR SOUTH KOREA. U.S. FORCES THERE ALREADY ARE ARMED WITH ARTILLERY AND ROCKETS ADAPTED FOR ATOMIC AMMUNITION.

THE UNITED STATES BEGAN INTRODUCING ATOMIC-CAPABLE WEAPONS INTO SOUTH KOREAN DEFENSES AFTER THE NORTH KOREAN COMMUNISTS BUILT A NETWORK OF NEW AIRFIELDS AND INSTALLED MODERN JETS.

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YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, FEB. 26 (AP)-THREE U.S. NAVY MEN ACCUSED OF BRINGING LIQUOR AND WOMEN ABOARD A SMALL U.S. TRANSPORT LAST OCTOBER AT KAOHSIUNG, FORMOSA HAVE BEEN CONVICTED AND SENTENCED BY COURTS-MARTIAL HERE TO JAIL TERMS AT HARD LABOR.

THREE OTHERS WERE GIVEN UNIT PUNISHMENT AND REDUCED IN RATE.

THE NAVY SAID TODAY IN A PRESS STATEMENT: "THEY ENGAGED IN ACTIVITIES...WHICH WERE IN VIOLATION OF U.S. NAVY AND SHIP REGULATIONS."

"THESE ACTIVITIES CONSISTED ESSENTIALLY OF THE INTRODUCTION OF A QUANTITY OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AND FEMALES OF QUESTIONABLE CHARACTER ABOARD THE SHIP."

THE TRANSPORT WAS IDENTIFIED AS THE USS ESTERO, SINCE DECOMMISSIONED.

THE NAVY SAID TWO MEN WERE SENTENCED TO SIX MONTHS AT HARD LABOR AND REDUCTION IN RATE AND PAY. THEY WERE WILLIAM B. TIFFANY, RADIGMAN 3.C., OF TACOMA, WASH., AND HARRISON H. KAVANAUGH, SEAMAN, OF HENDERSON, KY.

R.G.CRAIN, ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN (COMMUNICATIONS) 3.C., OF ST. CLAIR SHORES, MICH., DREW CONFINEMENT AT HARD LABOR FOR TWO MONTHS, FORFEITURE OF PART OF HIS PAY AND A REDUCTION IN RATE TO ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN SEAMAN.

FOUR OTHERS WERE ACQUITTED.

THE THREE WHO RECEIVED NONJUDICIAL PUNISHMENT AND REDUCED RATING WERE CHARLES G. ELRO, ELECTRICIAN MATE FIREMAN, DESCRIBED BY THE NAVY AS FROM SHREVEPORT, MICH. (UNLISTED POSTAL GUIDE); L.E.DUVAL, SHIPFITTER 2.C., OF NEW HAVEN, CONN., AND A.L. DUVE, ENGINEMAN FIREMAN, OF HURON, OHIO.

TRIALS OF SEVEN OTHERS WILL BE CONTINUED NEXT MONDAY.

THE NAVY REFUSED TO DISCLOSE THEIR NAMES.

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(420) VIET NAM-AID

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, FEB. 26 (AP)-A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE SAID TODAY PROMPT CHANGES ARE NEEDED IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF U. S. FOREIGN AID TO VIET NAM.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE HEADED BY SEN. MIKE MANSFIELD (D-MONT), ASSISTANT DEMOCRATIC SENATE LEADER, SAID A LENGTHY STUDY CONVINCED IT THE AID PROGRAM HAS SERVED A HIGHLY USEFUL PURPOSE.

BUT IT SAID THE NONMILITARY AID PROGRAM LACKS A CLEAR-CUT PLAN WITH SPECIFIC INTEGRATED GOALS, WHILE SUCH GOALS DO EXIST IN THE MILITARY AID PROGRAM.

THE REPORT SAID THAT ABOUT 60 PER CENT OF U. S. AID TO THAT NATION GOES TO SUPPORT NEARLY 100 PER CENT OF VIET NAM'S MILITARY BUDGET. PENTAGON FIGURES SHOWED THIS WEEK THAT VIET NAM MILITARY AID FROM 1954 TO LAST JUNE 30 AMOUNTED TO \$496,265,000. CONTRIBUTIONS THIS YEAR WILL TOTAL \$74,482,000.

IN CALLING FOR "A NEW POSITIVE PREMISE FOR AID TO VIET NAM," THE SUBCOMMITTEE ASKED THAT NONMILITARY GRANT AID, WHICH TOPPED 182 MILLION DOLLARS IN THE YEAR ENDED LAST JUNE 30, CUT PROGRESSIVELY. IT SAID THAT AS SOON AS THE COUNTRY IS ON THE WAY TO REASONABLE ECONOMIC SELF-RELIANCE ALL GRANT AID SHOULD BE STOPPED. LOANS AND TECHNICAL HELP WOULD BE CONTINUED.

THE INVESTIGATION WAS TOUCHED OFF BY NEWSPAPER CHARGES LAST SUMMER THAT THE U.S. AID PROGRAM HAD BEEN A "FIASCO" IN VIET NAM. THE REPORT SAID "THE SPECIFIC CHARGES...DO NOT GENERALLY LEND THEMSELVES

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TO PROOF OR DISPROOF BY A LEGISLATIVE BODY.-
THE REPORT MADE THESE POINTS, AMONG OTHERS:

1. THERE SHOULD BE A JOINT RECONSIDERATION WITH THE VIET NAM GOVERNMENT OF THE LOW 35-1 RATE AT WHICH U.S. GRANT AID DOLLARS ARE CONVERTED TO PIASTERS. A RATE OF 70-1 OR MORE MIGHT BE MORE REALISTIC.
2. THE CONTINUED DEPENDENCE OF VIET NAM ON REVENUES FROM AID GRANTS IS A FORM OF DEPENDENCE "WHICH IN THE LONG RUN IS IN THE INTERESTS NEITHER OF THE VIETNAMESE NOR THIS NATION."
3. THE U.S. MILITARY AID ADVISORY GROUP CAN BE PHASED OUT IN THE FORESEEABLE FUTURE. AN END TO THE JOB OF MILITARY AID TO VIET NAM IS IN SIGHT.

4. NONMILITARY AID SHOULD INTENSIFY SELF-HELP BY GREATER USE OF THE RESOURCES OF THE DEVELOPMENT LOAN FUND AND OTHER LENDING AGENCIES. PLANNING MUST SET YEAR-BY-YEAR TARGETS OF WHAT THE AID IS EXPECTED TO ACCOMPLISH.

THE REPORT CRITICIZED "TOP-HEAVY" CONTROL OF THE AID PROGRAM IN WASHINGTON AND URGED MORE INITIATIVE BE TAKEN BY U.S. AID OFFICIALS IN VIET NAM. THE JOBS OF THE U.S. AMBASSADOR AND FOREIGN AID DIRECTOR IN SAIGON SHOULD BE PUT ON A CONTINUING BASIS UNTIL THEIR ASSIGNMENTS ARE COMPLETED, IT SAID.

THE SUBCOMMITTEE CALLED FOR A FULL STUDY OF PAY AND FRINGE BENEFITS OF OVERSEAS U.S. EMPLOYEES ON A WORLDWIDE BASIS WITH A VIEW TO REDUCTIONS IN HOUSING COSTS, OVERSEAS ALLOWANCES AND OTHER FRINGE BENEFITS.

THE REPORT SAID BETWEEN 1,400 AND 1,500 AMERICANS ARE DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY EMPLOYED IN VIET NAM BY THE U. S. GOVERNMENT. IT SAID THE RENTS PAID BY THE UNITED STATES FOR PERSONNEL IN SAIGON ARE EXCESSIVE BY AMERICAN STANDARDS--SOME OF THEM RUNNING AS HIGH AS \$645 PER MONTH.

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